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## World Crop Production

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### PRODUCTION HIGHLIGHTS

WHEAT: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 513.5 million tons, up 3.9 million or less than 1 percent from last month and 5 percent above a year ago. Important changes from a month ago include the following:

- o Australia Production is estimated at 18.5 million tons, up 1.0 million or 6 percent from last month, but 16 percent below last year's record crop. Better than expected yields in the states of Western Australia, Victoria and South Australia led to the increase in production.
- o Argentina Production is estimated at 12.7 million tons, up 0.2 million or 2 percent from last month and 3 percent above last year's harvest. An increase in estimated average yield led to the rise in production. Average yield is estimated at a record 2.15 tons a hectare, 9 percent above the previous record in 1982/83.
- o EC Production is estimated at a record 76.0 million tons, up 0.3 million or less than 1 percent from last month and 28 percent above last year. An upward adjustment in the estimated average yield in France led to the increase in European Community (EC) production.
- o Eastern Europe Production is estimated at a record 42.2 million tons, up 2.4 million or 6 percent from last month, and up 19 percent from last year. Upward adjustments in production occurred in Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Czechoslovakia. Average yield in Eastern Europe is estimated at a record 4.25 tons a hectare, 15 percent above the previous record in 1982/83.



COARSE GRAINS: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 796.9 million tons, up 6.8 million or nearly 1 percent from last month and 15 percent above last year. Important changes from a month ago include the following:

- o U.S. Production is estimated at 237.0 million tons, up 4.5 million or 2 percent from last month, and up 73 percent from last year's drought-and PIK-reduced crop. An increase in the estimated area and average yield of corn plus an increase in estimated sorghum area led to the rise in production. Corn production is estimated at 194.3 million tons, up 3.1 million from last month, while sorghum production is estimated at 22.0 million tons, up 1.3 million from last month.
- o South Africa Production is estimated at 7.3 million tons, down 1.1 million or 13 percent from last month, but 41 percent above last year's drought-devastated crop. The reduction from last month was mostly in corn, now estimated at 6.5 million tons. A return to mostly dry and hot weather after mid-January rains in the Maize Triangle led to the decrease in production. Favorable February and early March weather will be needed for the moisture-sensitive grain filling period for corn.
- o Australia Production is estimated at 8.7 million tons, up 0.5 million or 6 percent from last month, but down 6 percent from last year's record crop. An upward adjustment in estimated barley yield was partially offset by reductions in estimated area and average yield of sorghum. Unfavorable January weather in southern Queensland and northern New South Wales led to the decrease in expected sorghum production.
- o Eastern Europe Production is estimated at a record 71.7 million tons, up 2.7 million or 4 percent from last month and up 7 percent from last year. Upward adjustments mostly in barley and corn production in Romania, Hungary, Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia led to the increase in production.

RICE (MILLED BASIS): World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 313.8 million tons, unchanged from last month and 2 percent above a year ago.



OILSEEDS: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 183.9 million tons, down 1.3 million or less than 1 percent from a month ago but up 11 percent from 1983/84.

\*Soybeans: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at 89.5 million tons, down 0.7 million or less than 1 percent from last month but up 9 percent from last year. Important changes from a month ago include the following:

- o U.S. Production is estimated at 50.6 million tons, down 1.1 million or 2 percent from last month but up 14 percent from last year. Unfavorable weather at harvest caused reductions in both harvested area and yields.
- o Argentina Production is estimated at 6.4 million tons, up 0.4 million or 7 percent from last month but 3 percent below last year's revised estimate of 6.6 million. The yield estimate for 1984/85 was revised upward because a larger proportion of the crop was planted to higher yielding single crop soybeans.

\*Cottonseed: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 33.0 million tons, down 0.2 million or 1 percent from last month but up 8 percent from last year.

\*Sunflowerseed: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 16.7 million tons, down 0.2 million or 1 percent from last month but up 8 percent from last year. Important changes from a month ago include the following:

- o USSR Production is estimated at 4.5 million tons, down 0.4 million or 8 percent from last month and 11 percent below last year. Disease and inclement weather reduced yields.

\*Peanuts: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at 19.6 million tons, down slightly from last month but up 4 percent from last year.

\*Rapeseed: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 16.1 million tons, down 0.1 million or less than 1 percent from last month but up 13 percent from last year.

\*Flaxseed: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at 2.3 million tons, down 0.1 million or 5 percent from last month but up 2 percent from last year. Important changes from a month ago include the following:

- o Argentina Production is estimated at 0.5 million tons, down 0.1 million or 17 percent from last month and 29 percent below last year. Wet weather impeded planting in the province of Buenos Aires and reduced yields in the province of Entre Rios.

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COTTON: World production for 1984/85 is estimated at a record 81.8 million bales, virtually unchanged from last month's estimate and 21 percent more than a year ago. Foreign output is still projected at a record 68.5 million bales, 14 percent above 1983/84. Important changes from a month ago include the following:

- o USSR                      Production is estimated at 11.7 million bales, down 0.3 million or 3 percent from last month and 5 percent below a year ago. Weather during the end of the harvest season in Uzbekistan was unusually bad. Uzbekistan produces about two-thirds of the Soviet cotton crop.
- o Pakistan                  Production is estimated at 4.0 million bales, up 0.2 million or 4 percent from last month and 83 percent above last year's pest-infested crop.
- o Australia                Production is estimated at 0.9 million bales, up 0.1 million bales or 14 percent from last month and 45 percent above last year. The increase is primarily attributed to a larger estimated planted area.

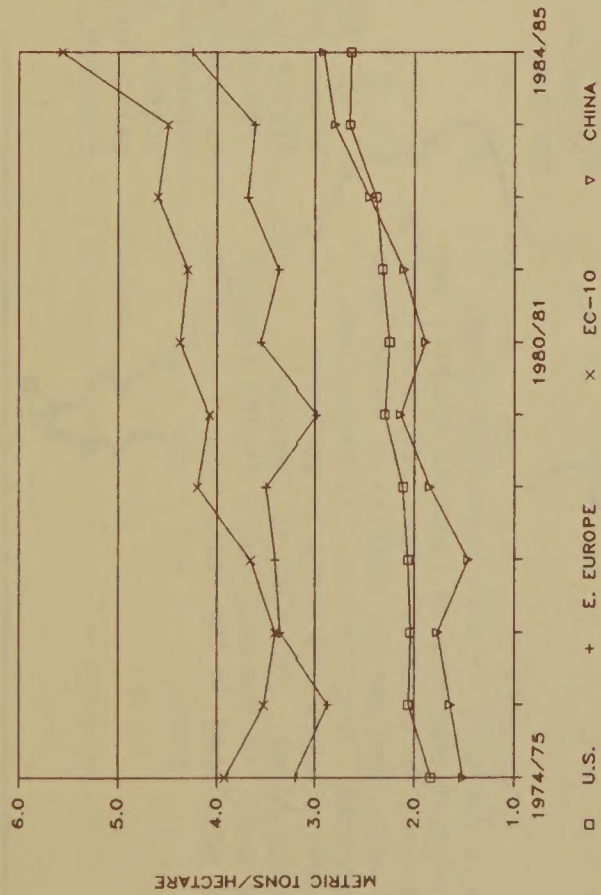
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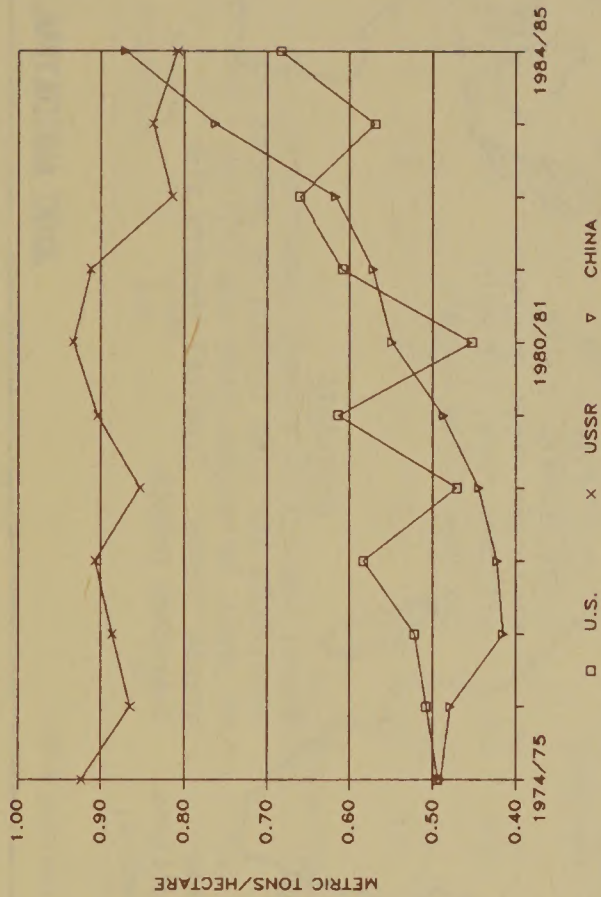
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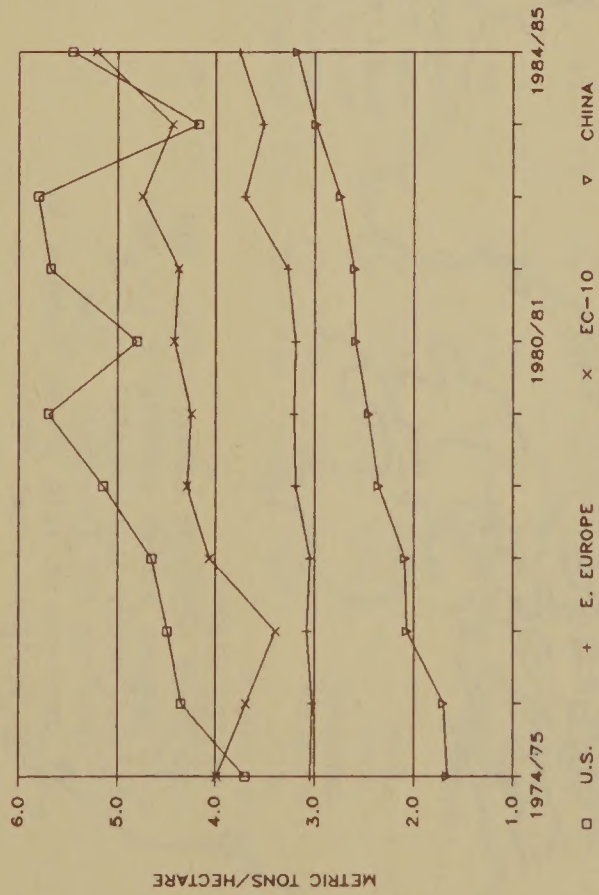
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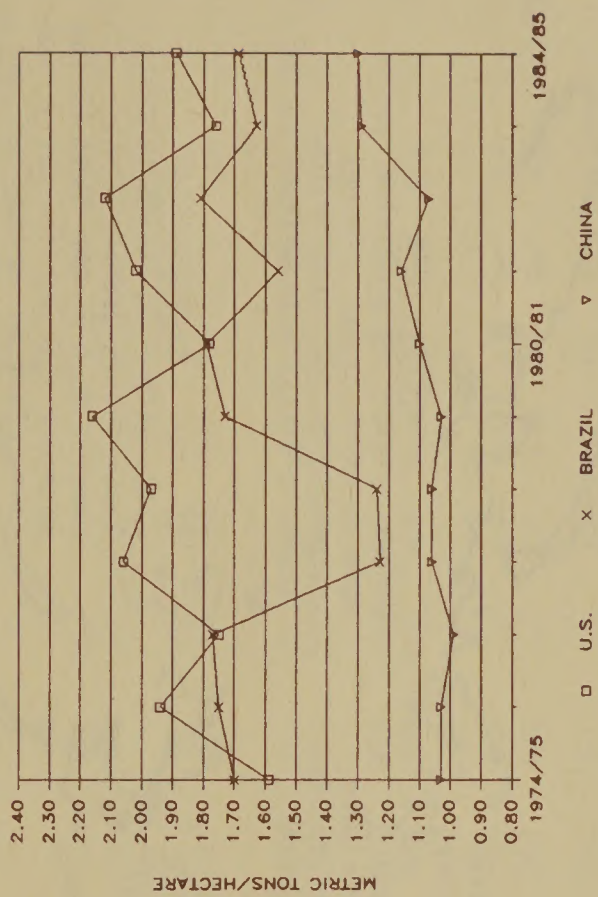
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COARSE GRAIN YIELDS



SOYBEAN YIELDS



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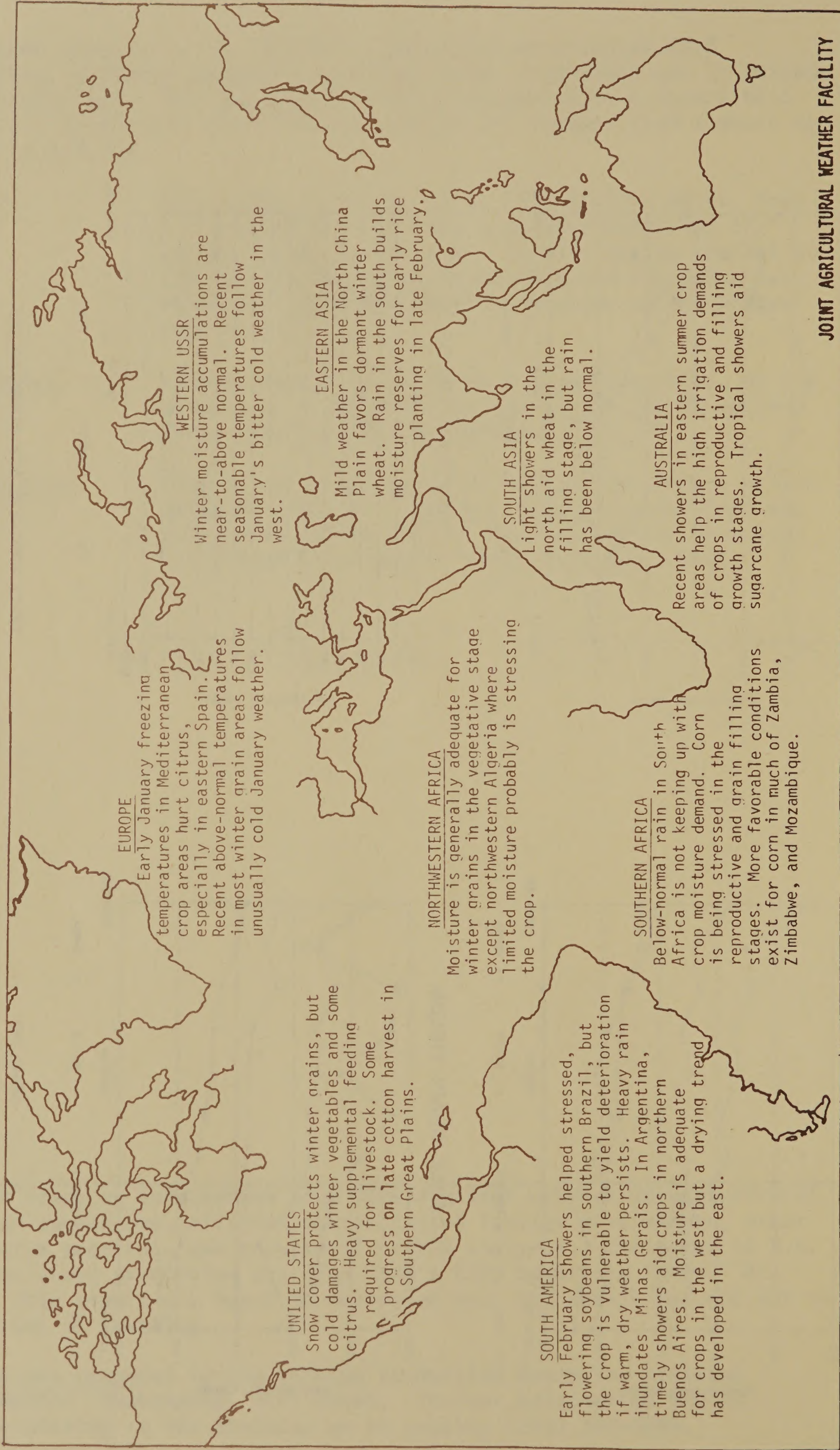
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This month's graphical analysis provides comparisons of long-term yield patterns for selected countries and regions for wheat, coarse grains, cotton and soybeans for the period 1974/75 to 1984/85 (forecast).



# WORLD AGRICULTURAL WEATHER HIGHLIGHTS

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World Crop Production Summary

Commodity	World	Total	North America	Europe	Asia	South America	Selected Other Countries	All Other Countries											
Wheat																			
1982/83	478.6	403.4	75.3	26.7	4.2	59.8	8.5	34.7	68.4	37.5	.0	11.3	.0	14.5	1.8	8.9	2.4	13.8	24.8
1983/84 prel.	489.5	423.6	65.9	26.6	3.2	59.3	8.9	35.4	81.4	42.8	.0	12.4	.0	12.3	2.1	21.9	1.8	13.3	24.3
1984/85 proj.																			
January	509.5	438.9	70.6	21.2	4.2	75.7	10.9	39.8	85.5	45.1	.0	10.9	.0	12.5	1.5	17.5	2.2	13.3	23.6
February	513.5	442.8	70.6	21.2	4.2	76.0	10.9	42.2	85.5	45.1	.0	10.9	.0	12.7	1.5	18.5	2.2	13.3	23.5
Coarse Grains																			
1982/83	778.7	528.0	250.7	26.5	10.2	71.6	21.9	71.8	83.5	27.9	3.2	1.6	3.7	18.2	19.9	3.9	4.5	8.7	64.8
1983/84 prel.	690.0	552.8	137.1	21.0	13.8	64.1	22.1	67.3	92.4	34.1	5.1	1.6	4.3	17.9	21.5	9.3	5.2	7.6	60.6
1984/85 proj.																			
January	790.1	557.5	232.5	22.0	13.8	73.4	29.3	69.0	97.5	31.3	4.0	1.7	4.9	18.5	22.0	8.2	8.5	7.9	61.7
February	796.9	559.9	237.0	22.0	13.8	73.4	29.3	71.7	97.5	31.3	4.0	1.7	4.9	18.5	22.0	8.7	7.3	7.9	62.0
Rice (Milled)																			
1982/83	285.5	280.6	4.9	.0	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.1	112.9	47.1	22.8	3.4	11.1	0.2	5.3	0.4	.0	0.2	74.0
1983/84 prel.	306.9	303.7	3.2	.0	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.1	118.2	59.8	24.0	3.3	12.9	0.3	6.1	0.5	.0	0.2	75.4
1984/85 proj.																			
January	313.8	309.3	4.5	.0	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.1	123.2	58.5	25.0	3.5	12.2	0.3	6.1	0.6	.0	0.2	76.5
February	313.8	309.4	4.4	.0	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.1	123.2	58.5	25.0	3.4	12.2	0.3	6.1	0.6	.0	0.2	76.7
Total Grains 1/																			
1982/83	1,542.9	1,211.9	330.9	53.3	14.7	132.1	30.8	106.7	173.6 1/	264.8	112.4	16.4	14.8	32.9	27.1	13.2	6.9	22.7	163.6
1983/84 prel.	1,486.4	1,280.2	206.2	47.6	17.3	124.1	31.2	102.8	184.6 1/	292.0	136.6	17.4	17.2	30.5	29.7	31.7	7.0	21.2	160.3
1984/85 proj.																			
January	1,613.4	1,305.8	307.6	43.2	18.3	149.9	40.6	108.9	160.6 1/	306.2	134.9	16.1	17.1	31.3	29.6	26.3	10.6	21.4	161.8
February	1,624.1	1,312.1	312.0	43.2	18.3	150.2	40.6	114.0	160.6 1/	306.2	134.9	16.0	17.1	31.5	29.6	27.8	9.6	21.4	162.2
Oilseeds 2/																			
1982/83	178.1	110.0	68.2	3.9	0.9	3.6	1.4	4.0	27.1	11.3	1.3	2.0	0.4	7.5	16.2	0.4	0.4	1.5	17.0
1983/84 prel.	166.2	115.7	50.4	3.9	1.0	3.8	1.4	4.1	28.6	13.7	1.3	1.4	0.4	10.1	16.4	0.5	0.4	1.6	16.6
1984/85 proj.																			
January	185.3	124.8	60.4	4.9	1.1	5.0	1.6	4.6	31.2	13.5	1.4	2.1	0.4	9.9	17.5	0.7	0.9	1.8	17.9
February	183.9	124.6	59.3	4.9	1.1	5.0	1.6	4.6	31.2	13.4	1.4	2.0	0.4	10.3	17.5	0.8	0.7	1.8	18.0
Cotton																			
1982/83	67.5	55.5	12.0	.0	0.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	11.9	6.3	.0	3.8	0.2	0.5	3.0	0.5	0.1	2.2	8.8
1983/84 prel.	67.6	59.9	7.8	.0	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	12.3	5.9	.0	2.2	0.2	0.8	2.6	0.6	0.2	2.4	9.6
1984/85 proj.																			
January	81.8	68.5	13.3	.0	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.1	12.0	6.5	.0	3.8	0.2	0.7	3.7	0.8	0.2	2.7	9.6
February	81.8	68.5	13.3	.0	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.1	11.7	6.5	.0	4.0	0.2	0.7	3.7	0.9	0.2	2.7	9.6

--Million 480-Pound Bales--

1/ Includes total of wheat, coarse grains, and rice (milled) shown above. Estimates of Soviet total grain production, including wheat, coarse grains, rice (rough), minor grains, and pulses are 180 mil. tons in 1982/83, 195 mil. in 1983/84, and 170 mil. forecast in 1984/85.

2/ Totals for major regions and countries and other countries include the six major oilseeds shown elsewhere in this report, while world and total foreign also include copra and palm kernels for countries shown plus other countries.

Note: Entries of ".0" indicate no reported or insignificant production.



U.S. Crop Acreage, Yield and Production \*

Commodity	--Harvested Area--			--Yield--				--Production--			
	Prel.	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85 Proj.			Prel.	1984/85 Proj.		
	1982/83	1983/84	1984/85	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.
	--Million Acres--			--Bushels per Acre--				--Million Bushels--			
All Wheat	77.9	61.4	66.9	35.5	39.4	38.8	38.8	2,765	2,420	2,595	2,595
Winter	57.6	47.6	51.5	36.0	41.8	40.0	40.0	2,074	1,988	2,061	2,061
Other	20.3	13.8	15.4	34.1	31.3	34.7	34.7	691	432	535	535
Rye	0.7	0.9	1.0	28.9	30.3	33.0	33.0	20	27	32	32
Corn	72.7	51.5	71.8	113.2	81.1	105.9	106.6	8,235	4,175	7,527	7,650
Sorghum	14.1	10.0	15.3	59.1	48.7	57.3	56.4	835	488	813	866
Barley	9.0	9.7	11.2	57.2	52.3	53.4	53.4	516	509	597	597
Oats	10.3	9.1	8.1	57.8	52.6	58.1	58.1	593	477	472	472
Tot. Feedgrains	106.1	80.3	106.4	95.9	70.3	90.0	90.1	10,179	5,648	9,409	9,584
Soybeans	69.4	62.5	66.1	31.5	26.2	28.5	28.2	2,190	1,636	1,902	1,861
				---Pounds per Acre---				---Million CWT.---			
Rice	3.3	2.2	2.8	4,710	4,598	4,966	4,926	153.6	99.7	138.2	137.0
								---Million 480-Pound---			
All Cotton	9.7	7.3	10.5	590	508	610	610	12.0	7.8	13.3	13.3

U.S. Planted Area of Major Crops \*

Year	Wheat			Feedgrains							All			Total Maj. Crops
	Winter	Other	Total	Rye	Rice	Corn	Sorghum	Barley	Oats	Total	Soybeans	Cotton		
--Million Acres--														
1982/83	65.5	20.7	86.2	2.5	3.3	81.9	16.0	9.5	14.0	121.4	70.9	11.3	295.7	
1983/84 prel.	62.1	14.3	76.4	2.7	2.2	60.2	11.9	10.4	20.3	102.8	63.8	7.9	255.8	
1984/85 proj.														
January	63.4	15.8	79.2	3.0	2.8	79.8	16.2	11.9	12.4	120.3	68.2	11.1	284.6	
February	63.4	15.8	79.2	3.0	2.8	80.4	17.2	11.9	12.4	121.9	67.7	11.1	285.8	

\* Estimates from USDA Crop Reporting Board.

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Wheat Area, Yield, and Production: World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	---Area---			---Yield---				---Production---			
	Prel.	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85	Proj.	
	1982/83	1983/84	1984/85	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.
	---Million Hectares---			---Metric Tons Per Hectare---				---Million Metric Tons---			
World	238.6	228.8	231.7	2.01	2.14	2.20	2.22	478.6	489.5	509.5	513.5
United States	31.5	24.8	27.1	2.39	2.65	2.61	2.61	75.3	65.9	70.6	70.6
Total Foreign	207.1	203.9	204.6	1.95	2.08	2.14	2.16	403.4	423.6	438.9	442.8
Maj. Foreign Exporters	44.4	46.7	44.9	2.48	2.57	2.82	2.86	109.9	120.0	126.9	128.4
Argentina	7.3	6.9	5.9	1.98	1.79	2.12	2.15	14.5	12.3	12.5	12.7
Australia	11.5	12.9	12.2	0.77	1.70	1.43	1.52	8.9	21.9	17.5	18.5
Canada	12.6	13.7	13.2	2.13	1.94	1.61	1.61	26.7	26.6	21.2	21.2
EC-10	13.0	13.2	13.7	4.60	4.50	5.54	5.56	59.8	59.3	75.7	76.0
Major Importers	102.6	96.1	98.3	1.93	2.11	2.12	2.14	198.0	203.1	208.3	210.7
Brazil	2.8	1.9	1.9	0.65	1.11	0.81	0.81	1.8	2.1	1.5	1.5
China	27.9	29.1	29.4	2.45	2.80	2.91	2.91	68.4	81.4	85.5	85.5
Eastern Europe	9.4	9.8	9.9	3.69	3.62	4.01	4.25	34.7	35.4	39.8	42.2
Egypt	0.6	0.6	0.5	3.50	3.50	3.70	3.70	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8
Other N. Africa *	4.3	4.6	4.9	0.97	0.76	0.80	0.82	4.2	3.5	4.0	4.0
Japan	0.2	0.2	0.2	3.25	3.03	3.19	3.19	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
USSR	57.3	50.0	51.5	1.50	1.56	1.46	1.46	86.0	78.0	75.0	75.0
Other Foreign	60.1	61.1	61.4	1.59	1.64	1.69	1.69	95.5	100.5	103.6	103.7
India	22.1	23.6	24.4	1.69	1.82	1.85	1.85	37.5	42.8	45.1	45.1
Iran	6.0	5.8	6.0	0.92	0.91	0.87	0.87	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.2
Mexico	1.0	0.8	1.0	4.42	3.81	4.42	4.42	4.2	3.2	4.2	4.2
Non-EC W. Europe	3.9	3.9	3.6	2.20	2.29	3.06	3.06	8.5	8.9	10.9	10.9
Pakistan	7.2	7.3	7.4	1.57	1.69	1.48	1.48	11.3	12.4	10.9	10.9
South Africa	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.23	1.00	1.13	1.17	2.4	1.8	2.2	2.2
Turkey	8.6	8.7	8.6	1.60	1.53	1.55	1.55	13.8	13.3	13.3	13.3
Others	9.4	9.2	8.5	1.31	1.39	1.36	1.37	12.3	12.8	11.8	11.7

\* Algeria, Libya, Morocco, and Tunisia.

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Coarse Grains Area, Yield, and Production: World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	---Area---			---Yield---				---Production---			
	Prel. Proj.			Prel. 1984/85 Proj.				Prel. 1984/85 Proj.			
	1982/83	1983/84	1984/85	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.
	---Million Hectares---			---Metric Tons Per Hectare---				---Million Metric Tons---			
World	333.7	330.7	334.4	2.33	2.09	2.37	2.38	778.7	690.0	790.1	796.9
United States	43.2	32.9	43.5	5.80	4.17	5.44	5.45	250.7	137.1	232.5	237.0
Total Foreign	290.5	297.8	290.9	1.82	1.86	1.91	1.92	528.0	552.8	557.5	559.9
Maj. Foreign Exporters	26.6	26.7	27.0	2.14	2.16	2.28	2.27	56.8	57.7	62.0	61.4
Argentina	6.4	6.2	6.2	2.86	2.90	2.98	2.98	18.2	17.9	18.5	18.5
Australia	4.5	5.8	5.8	0.87	1.61	1.38	1.49	3.9	9.3	8.2	8.7
Canada	8.9	7.8	8.0	3.00	2.69	2.74	2.74	26.5	21.0	22.0	22.0
South Africa	4.8	4.8	4.7	0.93	1.08	1.79	1.57	4.5	5.2	8.5	7.3
Thailand	2.1	2.1	2.3	1.78	2.00	2.15	2.15	3.7	4.3	4.9	4.9
Major Importers	109.4	113.3	108.9	2.40	2.42	2.49	2.51	263.0	273.7	271.0	273.7
Eastern Europe	19.4	19.1	19.1	3.71	3.52	3.62	3.76	71.8	67.3	69.0	71.7
EC-10	15.1	14.4	14.1	4.74	4.44	5.21	5.21	71.6	64.1	73.4	73.4
Other W. Europe	9.0	8.9	9.4	2.45	2.49	3.11	3.11	21.9	22.1	29.3	29.3
Mexico	7.4	8.3	8.2	1.38	1.67	1.69	1.69	10.2	13.8	13.8	13.8
USSR	58.0	62.1	57.6	1.48	1.69	1.46	1.46	86.0	105.0	84.0	84.0
Other Maj. Import. *	0.5	0.5	0.6	2.72	2.75	2.77	2.77	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6
Other Foreign	154.5	157.8	155.0	1.35	1.40	1.45	1.45	208.2	221.4	224.5	224.8
Brazil	11.4	13.1	12.9	1.74	1.65	1.71	1.71	19.9	21.5	22.0	22.0
China	30.5	30.9	30.6	2.74	2.99	3.18	3.18	83.5	92.4	97.5	97.5
India	40.7	41.7	41.3	0.69	0.82	0.76	0.76	27.9	34.1	31.3	31.3
Indonesia	2.1	3.0	2.5	1.57	1.69	1.60	1.60	3.2	5.1	4.0	4.0
Nigeria	8.3	8.5	8.4	1.12	0.78	1.03	1.03	9.2	6.6	8.7	8.7
Philippines	3.2	3.4	3.4	0.99	1.02	1.10	1.10	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.7
Turkey	4.3	3.9	4.0	2.01	1.98	1.95	1.95	8.7	7.6	7.9	7.9
Others	54.1	53.5	51.8	0.97	0.95	0.95	0.96	52.6	50.7	49.3	49.7

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Corn Area, Yield, and Production: World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	---Area---			---Yield---				---Production---			
	Prel.	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85 Proj.			Prel.	1984/85 Proj.		
	1982/83	1983/84	1984/85	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.
	---Million Hectares---			---Metric Tons Per Hectare---				---Million Metric Tons---			
World	123.9	120.3	126.4	3.53	2.91	3.49	3.52	437.7	350.0	440.3	445.1
United States	29.4	20.8	29.0	7.11	5.09	6.65	6.69	209.2	106.0	191.2	194.3
Total Foreign	94.5	99.5	97.4	2.42	2.45	2.56	2.57	228.5	244.0	249.1	250.8
Maj. Foreign Exporters	8.9	8.9	9.0	1.86	2.02	2.50	2.39	16.5	17.9	22.5	21.5
Argentina	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.03	3.14	3.28	3.28	9.0	9.5	10.5	10.5
South Africa	4.1	4.0	3.8	1.00	1.12	1.97	1.71	4.1	4.4	7.5	6.5
Thailand	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.86	2.11	2.25	2.25	3.5	4.0	4.5	4.5
Major Importers	21.3	22.9	21.9	3.83	3.63	3.58	3.69	81.4	83.2	78.6	80.8
Eastern Europe	7.1	7.3	7.4	5.15	4.59	4.39	4.69	36.3	33.7	32.7	34.9
EC-10	3.0	3.0	3.1	6.63	6.51	6.33	6.33	19.8	19.6	19.4	19.4
Other W. Europe	1.0	0.9	1.0	4.53	4.27	4.46	4.47	4.5	3.8	4.5	4.6
Mexico	6.0	6.5	6.5	1.17	1.43	1.46	1.46	7.0	9.3	9.5	9.5
USSR	4.2	5.1	3.8	3.24	3.24	3.18	3.18	13.5	16.5	12.1	12.1
Other Maj. Import. *	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.67	3.24	3.47	3.47	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other Foreign	64.4	67.7	66.5	2.03	2.11	2.23	2.23	130.6	142.9	148.0	148.5
Brazil	11.1	12.7	12.5	1.76	1.65	1.72	1.72	19.5	21.0	21.5	21.5
Canada	1.1	1.1	1.2	5.88	5.36	5.89	5.89	6.5	5.9	7.0	7.0
China	18.5	18.8	18.6	3.26	3.62	3.90	3.90	60.3	68.2	72.5	72.5
Egypt	0.8	0.8	0.8	4.12	4.64	4.68	4.68	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.6
India	5.7	5.9	5.8	1.14	1.35	1.24	1.24	6.5	7.9	7.2	7.2
Indonesia	2.1	3.0	2.5	1.57	1.69	1.60	1.60	3.2	5.1	4.0	4.0
Philippines	3.2	3.4	3.4	0.99	1.02	1.10	1.10	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.7
Zimbabwe	1.3	1.6	1.4	0.76	0.95	1.43	1.43	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.0
Others	20.6	20.4	20.3	1.31	1.29	1.30	1.32	27.0	26.3	26.4	26.9

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Rice Area, Yield, and Production: World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	---Area---	---Yield---	---Production---	---	---Milling Rate---	---	---Production---	---
			(Rough Basis)				(Milled Basis)	
	Prel. Proj.	Prel. 1984/85 Proj.	Prel. 1984/85 Proj.		Prel. 1984/85 Proj.		Prel. 1984/85 Proj.	
1982/83 1983/84 1984/85	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1982/83 1983/84 Jan. Feb.	1984/85 Proj.
	---Million Hectares---	---Metric Tons Per Hectare---	---Million Metric Tons---	---	---In Percent---	---	---Million Metric Tons---	---
World	141.1 144.6 144.1	2.97 3.12 3.18	3.20 419.3 451.1	460.6 68.10 68.13	68.13 68.13	285.5 306.9 313.8	313.8	
United States	1.3 0.9 1.1	5.28 5.15 5.57	5.52 7.0 4.5	6.3 6.2	71.00 71.00 71.00	4.9 3.2 4.5	4.4	
Total Foreign	139.8 143.7 143.0	2.95 3.11 3.16	3.18 412.3 446.6	454.3 68.05 68.09	68.09 68.09	280.6 303.7 309.3	309.4	
Major Foreign Exporters								
Burma	15.9 16.5 15.9	2.29 2.37 2.40	2.39 36.4 39.0	38.2 64.70 64.79	64.76 64.75	23.6 25.3 24.7	24.6	
Pakistan	4.6 4.7 4.7	3.15 3.08 3.07	3.07 14.4 14.4	14.5 62.50 62.50	62.50 62.50	9.0 9.0 9.0	9.0	
Thailand	2.0 2.0 2.0	2.62 2.51 2.63	2.52 5.2 5.0	5.3 66.60 66.60	66.60 66.60	3.4 3.3 3.5	3.4	
	9.4 9.8 9.2	1.80 2.00 2.01	2.01 16.9 19.6	18.5 66.00 66.00	66.00 66.00	11.1 12.9 12.2	12.2	
Major Importers								
EC-10	11.8 11.9 12.4	3.89 3.97 4.01	4.01 45.7 47.4	49.7 68.23 68.24	68.33 68.33	31.2 32.3 33.9	33.9	
Other W. Europe	0.2 0.2 0.2	5.34 5.60 5.60	5.60 1.1 1.1	1.1 64.82 63.07	64.90 64.90	0.7 0.7 0.7	0.7	
Indonesia	0.1 0.1 0.1	5.34 4.89 5.82	5.82 0.5 0.3	0.6 68.62 68.42	68.74 68.74	0.4 0.2 0.4	0.4	
Nigeria	9.0 9.1 9.4	3.74 3.87 3.91	3.91 33.6 35.2	36.8 68.00 68.00	68.00 68.00	22.8 24.0 25.0	25.0	
Republic of Korea	0.6 0.6 0.7	2.30 2.03 2.02	2.02 1.4 1.3	1.4 66.50 66.50	66.50 66.50	0.9 0.9 0.9	0.9	
Other Maj. Import.	1.2 1.2 1.2	6.15 6.20 6.47	6.47 7.3 7.6	8.0 70.82 71.03	71.29 71.29	5.2 5.4 5.7	5.7	
	0.7 0.7 0.8	2.71 2.56 2.38	2.38 1.9 1.8	1.8 65.42 65.49	65.49 65.49	1.2 1.2 1.2	1.2	
Other Foreign								
Australia	112.2 115.3 114.6	2.94 3.12 3.18	3.20 330.2 360.2	366.4 68.39 68.33	68.40 68.40	225.8 246.1 250.6	250.8	
Bangladesh	0.1 0.1 0.1	6.45 5.20 6.88	6.88 0.5 0.6	0.8 71.50 71.50	71.50 71.50	0.4 0.5 0.6	0.6	
Brazil	10.6 10.5 9.8	2.02 2.06 2.06	2.21 21.3 21.8	21.5 66.60 66.60	66.60 66.60	14.2 14.5 14.4	14.4	
China	5.4 6.0 6.0	1.46 1.50 1.50	1.50 7.8 9.0	9.0 68.00 68.00	68.00 68.00	5.3 6.1 6.1	6.1	
India	33.1 33.1 33.0	4.88 5.10 5.33	5.33 161.2 168.9	176.0 70.00 70.00	70.00 70.00	112.9 118.2 123.2	123.2	
Japan	38.3 41.0 41.2	1.85 2.19 2.13	2.13 70.7 89.7	87.8 66.66 66.66	66.66 66.66	47.1 59.8 58.5	58.5	
Philippines	2.3 2.3 2.3	5.69 5.70 6.39	6.39 12.8 13.0	14.8 72.80 72.80	72.80 72.80	9.3 9.4 10.8	10.8	
USSR	3.2 3.2 3.3	2.39 2.48 2.39	2.39 7.7 7.9	7.9 65.00 65.00	65.00 65.00	5.0 5.1 5.1	5.1	
Vietnam	0.6 0.6 0.6	3.70 4.17 4.17	4.17 2.4 2.5	2.5 65.00 65.00	65.00 65.00	1.6 1.6 1.6	1.6	
Others	5.7 5.7 5.7	2.42 2.46 2.42	2.42 13.8 14.0	13.8 65.00 65.00	65.00 65.00	9.0 9.1 9.0	9.0	
	13.0 12.7 12.6	2.45 2.59 2.56	2.57 31.8 33.0	32.4 66.09 66.21	66.17 66.17	21.0 21.8 21.4	21.5	

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Soybean Area, Yield, and Production: World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	---Area---			---Yield---				---Production---			
	Prel.	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85	Proj.	
	1982/83	1983/84	1984/85	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.
	---Million Hectares---			---Metric Tons Per Hectare---				---Million Metric Tons---			
World	52.1	50.4	52.5	1.79	1.63	1.71	1.71	93.3	82.2	90.2	89.5
United States	28.1	25.3	26.7	2.12	1.76	1.91	1.89	59.6	44.5	51.8	50.6
Total Foreign	24.0	25.1	25.7	1.40	1.50	1.49	1.51	33.7	37.6	38.5	38.9
Maj. Foreign Exporters	10.4	12.1	12.3	1.80	1.81	1.76	1.80	18.8	21.8	21.7	22.1
Argentina	2.3	2.8	3.0	1.75	2.40	2.03	2.17	4.0	6.6	6.0	6.4
Brazil	8.1	9.3	9.3	1.81	1.63	1.67	1.69	14.8	15.2	15.7	15.7
Other Foreign	13.6	13.0	13.5	1.10	1.22	1.24	1.25	14.9	15.8	16.8	16.8
Canada	0.4	0.4	0.4	2.33	1.98	2.24	2.24	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9
China	8.4	7.6	7.7	1.07	1.29	1.30	1.30	9.0	9.8	10.0	10.0
Eastern Europe	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.50	1.29	1.32	1.35	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
India	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.64	0.72	0.83	0.83	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.8
Indonesia	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.90	0.87	0.85	0.85	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
Mexico	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.57	1.71	1.57	1.57	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Paraguay	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.49	1.31	1.51	1.51	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7
USSR	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.57	0.66	0.56	0.56	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5
Others	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.24	1.26	1.37	1.37	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.0

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## Oilseed Production: World and Selected Countries, Regions, and Commodities

Commodity	World	Total	North America			Europe		USSR			Asia		Africa		Latin America		All	
			United States	Canada	Other W. States	EC-10	Other W. Europe	Eastern Europe	China	India	Pakistan	Egypt	Senegal	Sudan	Argentina	Brazil		Paraguay
---Million Metric Tons---																		
Cottonseed																		
1982/83	27.37	23.07	4.30	.00	0.14	0.12	0.03	5.09	7.20	2.70	1.65	0.77	0.04	0.42	0.22	1.20	0.14	3.36
1983/84 prel.	27.19	24.40	2.79	.00	0.19	0.08	0.02	4.60	9.28	2.60	1.02	0.65	0.03	0.44	0.33	1.01	0.17	3.98
1984/85 proj.																		
January	33.16	28.35	4.81	.00	0.21	0.11	0.03	4.80	11.30	2.77	1.70	0.60	0.04	0.45	0.29	1.49	0.19	4.37
February	32.98	28.17	4.81	.00	0.21	0.11	0.03	4.68	11.30	2.70	1.67	0.60	0.04	0.45	0.30	1.49	0.19	4.41
Peanuts (in-shell)																		
1982/83	17.34	15.78	1.56	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00	3.92	5.28	0.08	0.02	1.11	0.50	0.25	0.25	0.04	4.33
1983/84 prel.	18.76	17.27	1.50	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00	3.95	7.28	0.09	0.02	0.57	0.46	0.31	0.22	0.04	4.33
1984/85 proj.																		
January	19.57	17.58	2.00	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00	4.45	6.50	0.09	0.02	0.68	0.50	0.28	0.27	0.04	4.75
February	19.55	17.55	2.01	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00	4.45	6.50	0.09	0.02	0.68	0.50	0.26	0.27	0.04	4.73
Sunflowerseed																		
1982/83	16.52	14.10	2.42	0.09	0.75	0.76	2.18	5.34	1.29	0.23	0.02	0.01	.00	.00	2.30	.00	.00	1.13
1983/84 prel.	15.49	14.04	1.45	0.05	0.99	0.79	1.96	5.04	1.37	0.27	0.02	0.01	.00	.00	2.20	0.01	.00	1.32
1984/85 proj.																		
January	16.95	15.28	1.66	0.08	1.11	0.99	2.09	4.90	1.45	0.25	0.02	0.01	.00	.00	2.70	0.01	.00	1.66
February	16.75	15.05	1.70	0.08	1.11	0.99	2.09	4.50	1.45	0.35	0.02	0.01	.00	.00	2.80	0.01	.00	1.63
Rapeseed																		
1982/83	14.78	14.78	.00	2.23	2.66	0.49	1.07	0.06	5.66	2.21	0.25	.00	.00	.00	0.00	.00	.00	0.18
1983/84 prel.	14.24	14.24	.00	2.63	2.47	0.49	1.33	0.07	4.29	2.57	0.22	.00	.00	.00	0.00	.00	.00	0.19
1984/85 proj.																		
January	16.17	16.17	.00	3.25	3.45	0.48	1.71	0.09	4.00	2.70	0.25	.00	.00	.00	0.00	.00	.00	0.24
February	16.06	16.06	.00	3.25	3.45	0.48	1.71	0.09	4.00	2.60	0.24	.00	.00	.00	0.00	.00	.00	0.24
Flaxseed																		
1982/83	2.57	2.31	0.26	0.75	0.04	.00	0.09	0.15	.00	0.38	0.01	0.11	.00	.00	0.77	.00	.00	0.02
1983/84 prel.	2.24	2.06	0.18	0.45	0.04	.00	0.09	0.23	.00	0.44	0.01	0.07	.00	.00	0.70	.00	.00	0.03
1984/85 proj.																		
January	2.40	2.21	0.19	0.68	0.05	.00	0.09	0.22	.00	0.48	0.01	0.07	.00	.00	0.60	.00	.00	0.03
February	2.29	2.11	0.18	0.68	0.05	.00	0.09	0.22	.00	0.48	0.01	0.07	.00	.00	0.50	.00	.00	0.03

Note: Entries of ".00" indicates no production reported or production of less than 5,000 tons.

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Cotton Area, Yield, and Production: World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	---Area---			---Yield---				---Production---			
	Prel.	Proj.		Prel.	1984/85 Proj.		Prel.	1984/85 Proj.			
	1982/83	1983/84	1984/85	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.	1982/83	1983/84	Jan.	Feb.
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	---Million Hectares---			---Kilograms Per Hectare---				---Million 480-Pound Bales---			
World	31.7	31.4	34.0	463	469	525	525	67.5	67.6	81.8	81.8
United States	3.9	3.0	4.2	661	569	684	684	12.0	7.8	13.3	13.3
Total Foreign	27.8	28.4	29.7	435	458	502	502	55.5	59.9	68.5	68.5
Maj. Foreign Exporters	13.2	13.6	14.3	653	698	764	762	39.6	43.6	50.2	50.2
Australia	0.1	0.1	0.2	1098	1037	1026	1055	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.9
Central America 1/	0.2	0.2	0.2	854	764	767	767	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
China	5.8	6.1	6.5	616	763	871	871	16.5	21.3	26.0	26.0
Egypt	0.4	0.4	0.4	1031	991	940	940	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.8
Mexico	0.2	0.2	0.3	921	922	850	850	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.3
Pakistan	2.3	2.3	2.3	364	209	366	381	3.8	2.2	3.8	4.0
Sudan	0.4	0.4	0.4	533	538	538	538	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Turkey	0.6	0.6	0.8	822	850	781	781	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.7
USSR	3.2	3.2	3.2	815	838	809	789	11.9	12.3	12.0	11.7
Major Importers 2/	0.2	0.3	0.3	695	697	703	703	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0
Other Foreign	14.3	14.6	15.1	230	231	250	251	15.1	15.5	17.4	17.4
Argentina	0.4	0.5	0.5	310	353	337	337	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.7
Brazil	2.1	2.0	2.2	308	286	360	360	3.0	2.6	3.7	3.7
India	7.9	7.8	7.9	175	165	179	179	6.3	5.9	6.5	6.5
Syria	0.2	0.2	0.2	994	1099	902	902	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.7
Others	3.8	4.2	4.3	261	277	290	290	4.6	5.3	5.7	5.7

1/ Nicaragua, Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, and Costa Rica.

2/ Western Europe, Eastern Europe, Japan, Hong Kong, Republic of Korea, and Taiwan.

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